UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
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JFK Federal Building, Boston, MA 02203

MEMORANDUM

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SUBJ: Draft SIP Report Comments
Truk-Away Landfill
Warwick, RI
TDD No. 9209-20-ACX
CERCLIS No. RID054034293

FROM: Sharon M. Hayes, EPA SMH
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Pg 2, par 3: Bartlett Road is identified as Bartlett Drive on Figure 2.

Pg 6, par 5: How does Charles Wilson fit into the ownership history described in the first few paragraphs on page 5?

Pg 6, par 6: Please include the location (distance and direction from the site) of Brush Neck Cove and Little Pond especially if they are not depicted on any figure.

Pg 9, par 4: Towards what direction does groundwater move? The reader may not be aware of the location of the Pawtucket and Providence Rivers or Greenwich Bay in relation to the site.

Pg 15, par 3: Please check parentheses in the sentence beginning with "These areas include...".

Pg 15: State that no groundwater samples were collected by CDM during the SIP.

Pg 17, par 1: Include the location (distance and direction from the site) of Warwick Pond.

Pg 17, par 2: Define Class B waterway.

Pg 19, Table 6: Where is Rufus Road located? Briefly state why SD-05 was not collected.

Pg 23, par 1: Identify nearest residence in units of feet rather than miles for an easier comparison to the 200 foot reference.

Pg 23, par 2: Please provide a bit more of a summary of soil results. For example identify the highest concentrations (including a comparison to the background or reference level) and

where they were detected. It may help to discuss the results in groups (VOCs, inorganic elements, etc.).

Pg 23, par 3: Here it states that the Leesona building, and therefore its workers, is 100 feet away from the landfill boundary. In paragraph 1 on this page it states that no people live or work within 200 feet of the landfill. Please clarify this discrepancy.

Pg 25, par 1: Industrial Road is identified as Industrial Drive on Figure 3.

Pg 25, par 4: Convert 0.09 miles into feet. Also, as was done with soil results, briefly summarize sediment results in this paragraph.

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